

Pursuant to the Court's January 9, 2023 order (ECF No. 23), the parties respectfully submit this Joint Status Report.

This case is currently stayed because the Government is working with a number of cost-sharing reduction (CSR) plaintiffs to determine whether they may efficiently resolve this matter without further litigation or at least streamline these cases.

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that call with a letter to the Government on September 15, 2022. The Government responded to CSR Plaintiffs by letter dated November 10, 2022, and the other CSR Plaintiffs' offered a counter-proposal via letter on January 10, 2023.

Thus, as described above, the settlement negotiation process is ongoing. Plaintiffs in this case have expressed a willingness to consider seriously the method, if any, that the Government is able to agree to with the other CSR plaintiffs for resolving or streamlining the CSR cases. The complexity of the CSR cases and the number of interested stakeholders necessitate that the parties be afforded additional time to pursue this mutual attempt to resolve the damages issues in this case without further litigation. Good cause therefore exists to continue the stay in this case for CSRs due to Plaintiffs for benefit years 2018 and beyond.

As previously directed by the Court, the parties will file another Joint Status Report in sixty days in order to update the Court on the status of their efforts to fully resolve this matter.

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